

DECLARATION FOR PATENT APPLICATION

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name;

I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below), or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled: DESIGNING COMPOUNDS SPECIFICALLY TARGETING RIBONUCLEIC ACID

the specification of which (check one)

is attached hereto

was filed on _____

as application Serial No. _____

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I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to the examination of this application in accordance with Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, § 1.56(a).

I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under Title 35, United States Code, § 119 of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate listed below and have also identified below any foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed.

Priority Claimed		
Prior Foreign Application(s)		
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I hereby claim the benefit under Title 35, United States Code, § 120 of any United States application(s) listed below and, insofar as the subject matter of each of the claims of the application is not disclosed in the prior United States application in the manner provided by the first paragraph of Title 35, United States Code, § 112, I acknowledge the duty to disclose material information as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, § 1.56(a) which occurred between the filing date of the prior application and the national or PCT international filing date of this application:

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"Designing Compounds Specifically Targeting Ribonucleic Acid"
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As named inventor, I hereby appoint the following attorney(s) to prosecute this application and transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith.

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I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

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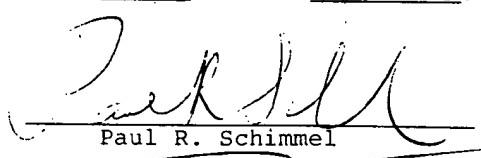
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ASSIGNMENT

CAMBRIDGE I, Paul R. Schimmel of 31 Solomon Pierce Road,
Lexington, Massachusetts 02173, in consideration of Five Dollars
and other valuable consideration paid to me by Massachusetts
Institute of Technology, a corporation of Massachusetts having
its principal place of business at 77 Massachusetts Avenue,
Cambridge, Massachusetts 02139, the receipt of which is hereby
acknowledged, do hereby sell, assign and transfer unto said
Massachusetts Institute of Technology, its successors and
assigns, the entire interest for the United States of America and
all foreign countries including all rights of priority under the
International Convention for the Protection of Industrial
Property in a certain invention or improvement in "Designing
Compounds Specifically Targeting Ribonucleic Acid" described in
an application filed herewith in the United States Patent and
Trademark Office, and in all Letters Patent of the United States
and all foreign countries which may or shall be granted on said
invention, or any parts thereof, or on said application, or any
divisional, continuing, reissue or other applications based in
whole or in part thereon. And I agree, for myself and my
executor and administrator, with said corporation and its
successors and assigns but at its or their expense or charges,
hereafter to execute all applications, amended specifications,
deeds or other instruments, and to do all acts necessary or
proper to secure the grant of Letters Patent in the United States
and in all other countries to said corporation, with
specifications and claims in such form as shall be approved by
the counsel of said corporation and to vest and confirm in said
corporation, its successors and assigns, the legal title to all
such patents.

And I do hereby authorize and request the Commissioner
of Patents and Trademarks of the United States to issue such
Letters Patent as shall be granted upon said application or
applications based thereon to said corporation, its successors
and assigns.

WITNESS my hand and seal this 26th day of September,
1990.


Paul R. Schimmel

Commonwealth of Massachusetts) ss.
County of Hanover)

Then personally appeared the above named Paul R.
Schimmel and acknowledged the foregoing instrument to be his free
act and deed, before me, this 26th day of September,
1990.

William A. O'Leary
Notary Public

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For: DESIGNING COMPOUNDS SPECIFICALLY
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VERIFIED STATEMENT (DECLARATION) CLAIMING SMALL ENTITY STATUS

(37 CFR 1.9(f) and 1.27(d)) - NONPROFIT ORGANIZATION

I hereby declare that I am an official empowered to act on behalf of the
nonprofit organization identified below:

NAME OF ORGANIZATION: Massachusetts Institute of Technology

ADDRESS OF ORGANIZATION: 77 Massachusetts Avenue
Cambridge, Massachusetts 02139

TYPE OF ORGANIZATION:

- UNIVERSITY OR OTHER INSTITUTION OF HIGHER EDUCATION
- TAX EXEMPT UNDER INTERNAL REVENUE SERVICE CODE
(26 USC 501(a) and 501(c)(3))
- NONPROFIT SCIENTIFIC OR EDUCATIONAL UNDER STATUTE
OF STATE OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
- WOULD QUALIFY AS TAX EXEMPT UNDER INTERNAL REVENUE
SERVICE CODE (26 USC 501(a) and 501(c)(3)) IF LOCATED
IN THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
- WOULD QUALIFY AS NONPROFIT SCIENTIFIC OR EDUCATIONAL
UNDER STATUTE OF STATE OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
IF LOCATED IN THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

I hereby declare that the nonprofit organization identified above qualifies as a
nonprofit organization as defined in 37 CFR 1.9(e) for purposes of paying reduced fees
under section 41(a) and (b) of Title 35, United States Code with regard to the invention
entitled "Designing Compounds Specifically Targeting Ribonucleic Acid"

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"Designing Compounds Specifically Targeting Ribonucleic Acid"

VERIFIED STATEMENT CLAIMING SMALL ENTITY STATUS

by inventor(s) Paul R. Schimmel

described in

the specification filed herewith

application serial no. _____, filed _____

patent no. _____ issued _____

I hereby declare that rights under contract or law have been conveyed to and remain with the nonprofit organization with regard to the above-identified invention. If the rights held by the nonprofit organization are not exclusive, each individual, concern or organization having rights to the invention is listed below* and no rights to the invention are held by any person, other than the inventor, who could not qualify as a small business concern under 37 CFR 1.9(d) or by any concern which would not qualify as a small business concern under 37 CFR 1.9(d) or a nonprofit organization under 37 CFR 1.9(e).

*NOTE: Separate verified statements are required from each named person, concern or organization having rights to the invention averring to their status as small entities.

(37 CFR 1.27)

NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

INDIVIDUAL SMALL BUSINESS CONCERN NONPROFIT ORG.

NAME: _____

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INDIVIDUAL SMALL BUSINESS CONCERN NONPROFIT ORG.

I acknowledge the duty to file, in this application or patent, notification of any change in status resulting in loss of entitlement to small entity status prior to paying, or at the time of paying, the earliest of the issue fee or any maintenance fee due after the date on which status as a small entity is no longer appropriate. (37 CFR 1.28(b))

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VERIFIED STATEMENT CLAIMING SMALL ENTITY STATUS

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NAME OF PERSON SIGNING: John T. Preston
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John T. Preston
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September 21, 1990

DATE